

Waukesha County

Public Safety Communications Center Newsletter

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Special points of interest:

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As you know Waukesha County Executive Daniel M. Finley has proposed creating a Waukesha County Department of Public Safety. Included in this department is a new countywide Public Safety Communication Center that is scheduled to open in 2004. This newsletter will be published from time to time to keep everyone up to date on activities and actions taken to make the proposal a reality.



Resolutions/Letters of Intent

Several communities have already forwarded resolutions or letters of intent to join the Public Safety Communication Center. They are:

Village of Hartland
Village of Oconomowoc Lake
Village of Sussex
Town of Brookfield
Town of Merton

Municipalities are urged to take action and forward a resolution or letter of intent to County Executive Finley by February 2002. It is imperative to have municipalities pledge intent by February 2002 so the Waukesha County Board can release design funds, and we can keep this project on schedule to open in 2004. If you would like a copy of a draft resolution, please contact Shirleen at 548 -7902 and one will be sent to you.

Meetings Held

Meetings have been held with interested parties to discuss the proposal. They include:

Waukesha County Cooperation Council Waukesha County Police Chiefs
Waukesha County Fire Chiefs Waukesha County Towns Association
Town Board Waukesha County Executive Committee

In addition, meetings are scheduled in January 2002 with the Village and Town of Mukwonago.

If you would like to have a presentation of the proposal to your elected officials or interested party, please contact County Executive Finley at 548 -7902 to schedule an appearance.

Steering Committees/Workgroups

This facility will require the input and participation from the customers. In this case that means the municipalities, police and fire chiefs. To that end, a Steering Committee and four Workgroups have been formed and will begin meeting in January. The following are the members of the respective Committees and Workgroups:

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Steering Committee

Dan Finley – Waukesha County, Chair
Diane Gard – City of Oconomowoc
Jim Nortman – Village of Elm Grove
Jim Payne – City of Waukesha
Wally Thiel – Village of Hartland
Richard Farrenkopf – Village of Menomonee Falls
Donald Wiemer – Village of Oconomowoc Lake
Dean Marquardt – City of Brookfield
Keith Henderson – Town of Brookfield
Joseph Whitmore – Village of North Prairie
Joseph St. Thomas – Town of Oconomowoc

Facility

Richard Bolte – Waukesha County, Chair
Dennis Cerreta – Waukesha County
Steve Milner – Waukesha County
Jeff Johnson – City of Brookfield
Mort Hetznecker
Craig Coursin – City of Pewaukee
Linda Hornig – Village of Menomonee Falls
Craig Rivers – City of Waukesha
Jim Malueg – Waukesha County
Scott Groenwold – LACS

Human Resources

Jim Richter – Waukesha County, Chair
Bob Douglas – Village of Chenequa
Chris Swartz – Village of Sussex
Andrea Steen Crawford – Village of Elm Grove
Wayne Dussault – City of Waukesha
Tami Potkay – City of New Berlin
Hans Lux – Village of Eagle
Jack Pitrof – Village of Menomonee Falls
Dan Trawicki – Waukesha County
John Dahms – City of Brookfield
John Johnson – City of Muskego

Technology/Equipment

Bob Jacobs – Waukesha County, Chair
Kay Kumbier – Swartz – Waukesha County
John Klingel – Village of Eagle
Jan Knudten – City of Waukesha
Matt Pinter – City of Pewaukee
Chris Peterson – Waukesha County
Ron Buerger – City of Oconomowoc
Bryan Yokes – City of New Berlin
Dan Shine – Village of Menomonee Falls
Mike Biagioli – Waukesha County
Joe Sommers – City of Muskego

Protocols

Bob Jacobs – Waukesha County, Chair
Steve Marks – Waukesha County
Alex Felde – Town of Brookfield
Fred Winchowky – Village of Mukwonago
Denny Stone – City of Pewaukee
James Gage – Village of Elm Grove
Dean Richards – Town of Delafield
Dan Tushaus – City of Brookfield
Bob Rosch – Village of Hartland
Bob Coon – Village of Menomonee Falls
Steve Howard – City of Waukesha
Chris Connolly – City of Waukesha